



NEWS RELEASE

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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

City of Las Vegas October 2006 **YOUTH & TEEN ACTIVITIES (not sports)**

(All activities are subject to change. List is not all-inclusive. Call centers near you for complete list of classes and activities. Call and register in advance for all activities.)

Free Outreach Youth Council (ages 13-17)

Mondays, Howard Hollingsworth Elementary School, 1776 E. Ogden Avenue.

Tuesdays, Municipal Pool, 431 East Bonanza Road.

Wednesdays, Walter Bracken Elementary School, 1200 N. 27th Street.

Thursdays, Katz Elementary School, 1800 Rock Springs Drive.

5 to 6:30 p.m., Call (702) 229-2158 for information.

Youth will participate in community service projects, teen talk forums, socials, weekly meetings, supervised after-school tutoring, field trips, life-skills training, career and educational development workshops and more.

Teen Scene (grades 6-8)

Monday- Friday, after school to 6 p.m.

Fee: \$35/5 days; \$29/4 days; \$22/3 days. Daily rates available at some locations.

Youth do homework, socialize and participate in games and sports while safe and supervised.

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, (702) 646-9046.

Cadwallader Community School, 7775 Elkhorn Road, (702) 229-1633. Family rates available.

Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Avenue, (702) 229-5096.

Johnson Community School, 340 Villa Monterey, (702) 229-6175.

Lied Community School, 5340 West Tropical Parkway, (702) 229-5072.

Molasky Community School, 7801 West Gilmore, (702) 229-5345.

Robison Community School, 4794 Harris Avenue, (702) 229-2542.

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

Free Youth Council (ages 14-18)

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 North J Street, (702) 229-6374. Ask for Dishonne Robinson.

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

During weekly meetings, youth will plan community activities, elect officers and assist recreation leaders in planning events. Job readiness and life skills will be explored. Call for details.

Free Youth Council (ages 11-15)

Thursdays, 2:30 to 3:30 p.m.

Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Avenue, (702) 229-5096.

During weekly meetings, youth will plan community activities, projects and special events.

Free Youth Council (ages 12-18)

Wednesdays, 4-5 p.m.

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, (702) 646-9046.

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Free Youth Council (grades 6-8)

Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 3:45 to 5 p.m.

West Community Center, 2050 Sapphire Stone, (702) 229-5080.

Students plan dances, attend fun field trips, complete community service projects and more.

Free Youth Together (ages 12-17)

Tuesdays through Thursdays, 4 to 8 p.m. and Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Stupak Community Center, 300 W. Boston Avenue, (702) 229-2488.

Teens receive educational counseling, tutorial services and homework assistance, participate in community service, go on field trips, learn computer skills, attend forums, workshops and awareness lectures.

Free Youth Council (ages 12-17)

Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays, 4:30 to 6:30 p.m.

Stupak Community Center, 300 W. Boston Avenue, (702) 229-2488.

Youth can learn to develop as leaders and responsible citizens, become empowered to change their community, succeed through education and promote health, safety and positive choices for peers.

Free Tomorrow's Leaders (ages 6-11)

Monday through Thursday, 4:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Stupak Community Center, 300 W. Boston Avenue, (702) 229-2488.

This tutorial and mentoring program offers homework assistance, computer lab, recreation, field trips and participation in sports activities with the Police Athletic League.

Free After-School Outreach Homework Tutorial Program (grades 1-5)

From after school to 5 p.m.

Call (702) 229-2158 for more information.

We Pay to Play (ages 12-15)

Thursdays, 4 to 6 p.m.

Mirabelli Community Center, 6200 Hargrove Avenue, (702) 229-6359.

Youth participate in community service projects. Points are awarded based on attendance, projects completed, behavior and more. Use points earned to go on field trips that include bowling, Circus Circus, GameWorks, laser tag, sporting events, hikes, Red Rock, Mt. Charleston and more.

Urban Nights 2006 (ages 14-18)

Last Saturday of each month, 7 to 11 p.m.

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 North J Street, (702) 229-6374.

Teens will enjoy fun-filled themed nights of guest speakers, dancing, food and much more.

Kiddie College (ages 3.5-5)

Mondays/Wednesdays or Tuesdays/Thursdays, 9 a.m. to noon

Fee: \$80 per month for 2 days/week; \$120 per month for 4 days/week

Rafael Rivera Community Center, 2900 E. Stewart Avenue, (702) 229-4600.

Nine-month program introduces children to English and Spanish languages and educational concepts through crafts, games, stories, music and more, while improving their social, listening and motor skills in a fun and playful environment. Payment plans and/or tuition assistance available for qualifying families.

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Lied Tot Time (ages 2.5-3)

Mondays and Wednesdays, 12:30 to 2 p.m.

Fee: \$40 per month

Lied Community School, 5340 West Tropical Parkway, (702) 229-5072.

Children participate in games, crafts, music and more.

Little Lieders (ages 3-5)

Mondays/ Wednesdays 9 to 11:30 a.m., or Tuesdays/Thursdays, 9 to 11:30 a.m. or 12 to 2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$75/month.

Lied Community School, 5340 West Tropical Parkway, (702) 229-5072.

Children participate in crafts, games, music, ABCs, stories and other activities in a friendly, fun-filled atmosphere. Children must be potty trained.

Brinley Broncos (ages 3.5-5)

Monday through Thursday, 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. ages 3.5-4; 2 to 4 p.m. ages 4 to 5.

Fee: \$132/month; tuition assistance available to qualifying families.

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, (702) 646-9046.

This developmental program prepares children mentally and emotionally for kindergarten. Structured physical play teaches children life skills and habits, including concentration, cooperation, imagination, relaxation and self-esteem.

Las Estrellas de Brinley (ages 3.5-5)

Monday through Thursday, 9 to 11 a.m.

Fee: \$132/month; tuition assistance available to qualifying families.

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, (702) 646-9046.

This developmental program prepares children mentally and emotionally for kindergarten. Structured physical play teaches children life skills and habits, including concentration, cooperation, imagination, relaxation and self-esteem. For those learning to speak English as a second language.

Brinley Tots (ages 3.5-5)

Fridays, 9 to 11 a.m., 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. or 1 to 3 p.m.

Fee: \$66/month.

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, (702) 646-9046.

It's never too early to learn a second language, and children will quickly learn Spanish for shapes, colors, phrases, alphabet, numbers and songs.

Johnson Tots (ages 3-5)

Mondays and Wednesdays or Tuesdays and Thursdays, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Fees: \$90/month for 8 classes; \$160/month for 16 classes

Johnson Community School, 340 Villa Monterey, (702) 229-6175.

Children enjoy crafts, social play, games, music, outside play in park, educational preparation for school. Bring daily lunch. Must be potty trained.

Johnson Tots in Spanish (ages 3-5)

Mondays and Wednesdays or Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2 to 4 p.m.

Fees: \$75/month for 8 classes; \$100/month for 16 classes

Johnson Community School, 340 Villa Monterey, (702) 229-6175.

Children enjoy crafts, social play, games, music, outside play in park, educational preparation for school. Bring daily lunch. Must be potty trained.

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Jam Squads (ages 4-16)

Itty Bitty Jammers, ages 4-7, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Jam Squad, ages 8-14, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 6 to 8 p.m.

Jam Squad Elite, ages 10-16, Wednesdays and Fridays, 6 to 8 p.m.

Fee: \$15/month plus uniform fee. Practice days may change. Call for information.

Doolittle Community Center, 1950 North J Street, (702) 229-6374.

CK Hip Hop Performing Dance Teams (ages 5-20)

Registration Fee: \$32; Beginners \$12/month; Advanced \$15/month.

Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Avenue, (702) 229-5096.

2C ages 5-10; CK ages 11-15; SC ages 16-20. Practice times vary. Call for information.

Babysitting Skills Workshop (ages 12-16)

Tuesday and Thursday, October 3 and 5, 4:30 to 6 p.m. Must register by Sept. 26.

Fee: \$10

Cimarron Rose Community Center, 5591 North Cimarron Road, (702) 229-1607.

Learn the basics of child development, infant care, behavior management, CPR, first-aid, recognizing abuse/neglect, business skills, and English/Spanish instruction. Must attend both days of two-day workshop to receive certificate.

B-O-O Workshop (ages 4-10)

Wednesday, October 4, 4 to 5 p.m.

Fee: \$5

Robison Community School, 4794 Harris Avenue, (702) 229-2542.

Make Halloween crafts and goodies. Register by September 28.

Play Dough Hour (ages 3-4)

Wednesday, October 4, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. Register by September 27.

Fee: \$4

Molasky Community School, 7801 West Gilmore, (702) 229-5345.

Parents' Night Out (ages 4-12)

Friday, October 6, 6:30 to 9 p.m.

Fee: \$8 per child

Mirabelli Community Center, 6200 Hargrove Avenue, (702) 229-6359.

Children enjoy an evening of activities while parents have the night off.

Teen Dance (grades 6-8)

Friday, October 6, 7 to 9 p.m.

Fee: \$5 per child

Charleston Heights Community School, 6438 Celeste, (702) 878-8644.

Teens will enjoy music and dancing in the Garside Junior High cafeteria. Snacks and drinks will be sold. Deputy marshals will provide security at this lock-in event. School identification required.

Children's Night Out (ages 3-12)

Friday, October 6, 6 to 10 p.m.

Fee: \$12

Cimarron Rose Community Center, 5591 N. Cimarron Road, (702) 229-1607.

Children play games, make crafts, eat a themed dinner and watch a movie while parents have the evening off. Children must be potty trained. Must pre-register in person by Thursday, October 5.

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Sound of the Music Workshop (ages 3-5)

Thursday, October 12, 1 to 2 p.m. Register by October 9.

Fee: \$10. Children will have fun making musical instruments.

Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Avenue, (702) 229-5096.

Spooky Spiders & Slithering Snakes Workshop (ages 8-15)

Thursday, October 12, 6 to 7:30 p.m. ages 8-15

Fee: \$15

Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, (702) 229-2482.

Make a spider basket and have fun bobbing for apples and making cool, slithering snake snacks.

Spooky Cookie Fun (ages 3-5)

Friday, October 13, 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. Must register by October 6.

Fee: 8

Cimarron Rose Community Center, 5591 North Cimarron Road, (702) 229-1607.

Children decorate ghost cookies to take home for the family. Dress for a mess.

Halloween Youth Dance (grades 6-8)

Friday, October 13, 5 to 7 p.m.

Fee: \$5 per person

Robison Community School, 4794 Harris Avenue, (702) 229-2542.

Teens will enjoy dancing to the latest music. Snacks and drinks will be sold. Deputy marshals will provide security at this lock-in event. School identification required.

Parents' Night Out (ages 5-12)

Friday, October 13, 6 to 10 p.m. Register in person by October 12.

Fee: \$15 per child

Charleston Heights Community School, 6438 Celeste, (702) 878-8644.

Children enjoy dinner, movie, crafts and games while parents enjoy a night off.

Parents' Day Off (ages 5-10)

Sunday, October 15, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Fee: \$15 per child

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

Parents enjoy some free time while children have fun watching movies, preparing a snack and making a movie-themed craft. Surprises, too! Register by October 8.

Scared Stiff Ghost (ages 9 to adult)

Tuesday, October 17, 6 to 7:30 p.m. Advance registration required.

Fee: \$20

Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, (702) 229-2482.

Make two standing ghosts for a festive touch to a doorway or tabletop. See display when registering.

Pumpkin Carving Workshop (ages 6-10)

Wednesday, October 18, 4 to 5 p.m.

Fee: \$10 per pumpkin. Register by October 11.

Robison Community School, 4794 Harris Avenue, (702) 229-2542.

Pick a pumpkin to carve. Fresh apple cider will be served. Enter the pumpkin decorating contest, too.

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Jack O' Lantern Fun (ages 6-12)

Wednesday, October 18, 4 to 5 p.m. Register by October 11.

Fee: \$10

Molasky Community School, 7801 West Gilmore, (702) 229-5345.

Make your own jack o' lantern.

Cardio-pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and First-Aid (ages 10-15)

Thursday, October 19, 4 p.m.

Fee: \$25

Cimarron Rose Community Center, 5591 North Cimarron Road, (702) 229-1607.

Learn infant and adult cardio-pulmonary resuscitation and basic first-aid. For those who want babysitting certification. Register at least one week in advance.

7th Annual Halloween Youth Dance (ages 16-16)

Friday, October 20, 6 to 8:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

Molasky Community School, 7801 West Gilmore, (702) 229-5345.

Dress in costume and have a monstrosly good time with costume and dance contests, pictures and more at this lock-in dance. School identification required. City marshals provide security.

Parents' Night Out (ages 3-12)

Friday, October 20, 6 to 9 p.m.

Fee: \$10 per child

Brinley Community School, 6150 Smoke Ranch Road, (702) 646-9046.

Parents enjoy a night off while children eat pizza, watch a movie and play games.

Becker's Haunted Halloween Carnival (all ages)

Friday, October 20, 7 to 8:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5 for 25 tickets

Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, (702) 229-2482.

2nd Annual Free Pumpkin Hunt (ages walking to 8 years)

Saturday, October 21, noon

Cadwallader Community School, 7775 Elkhorn Road, (702) 229-1633.

Join Councilman Steve Ross in celebrating Centennial Hills Day at Centennial Hills Park. Children should wear their Halloween costumes and bring a treat bag to hunt for the candy- and toy-filled plastic pumpkins.

Lunch with Witch Wanda (ages 3-6)

Saturday, October 21, 1 to 2:30 p.m. Must register by October 14.

Fee: \$12

Cimarron Rose Community Center, 5591 North Cimarron Road, (702) 229-1607.

Enjoy witch's brew and other concoctions, decorate a pumpkin and receive a commemorative photo.

Pumpkin Patch Jack-O-Lanterns (ages 4-12)

Sunday, October 22, 10 a.m. Must register in advance.

Fee: \$10, includes pumpkin, paint and other supplies.

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

Pick out the perfect pumpkin from our pumpkin patch and create your jack-o-lantern.

Halloween Craft Workshop (ages 4-10)

Tuesday, October 24, 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Fee: \$5

Clark Community School, 3074 Arville Street, (702) 365-9272.

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Little Goblin Lunch Party (ages 3-6)

Wednesday, October 25, 4 to 5 p.m.

Fee: \$5. Register by October 18.

Robison Community School, 4794 Harris Avenue, (702) 229-2542.

Play pin the nose on the pumpkin, eat Halloween-shaped sandwiches and drink witch's brew.

Monster Bags Workshop (ages 7-14)

Wednesday, October 25, 6 to 7 p.m. ages 7 to 14.

Fee: \$12

Becker Community School, 9110 Hillpointe Road, (702) 229-2482.

Kids will have fun making an adorable monster trick-or-treat bag and monster mask.

Creature Feature (ages 0-8)

Thursday, October 26, 6 p.m.

Fee: \$2 for ages 3-8; free for ages 0-2

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

Join Councilman Steve Wolfson for the annual Halloween bash, featuring spooky games, contests, candy and prizes. Costume contests by age group.

Boo Woo Costume Carnival (ages 2-14)

Thursday, October 26, 6 to 8 p.m.

Fee: \$2

Gibson Community School, 3990 W. Washington Avenue, (702) 229-5096.

Enjoy games, costume contest and more. Refreshments will be for sale.

Mayor's Cup Soccer Tournament (Divisions U11-U19)

Friday through Sunday, October 27-29

Fee: \$350 per team

Open to all registered USYS, ASO and TOP teams. Call Sherry Alexander at (702) 229-2488 for information and registration, or e-mail to salexander@lasvegasnevada.gov. Several field locations in the Las Vegas area will be used.

Model Mania (ages 11-15)

Mondays, October 30-December 4, 3:45 to 5 p.m.

Fee: \$20 for six weeks

West Community Center, 2050 Sapphire Stone, (702) 229-5080.

Build exciting models of historic aircraft, cars, ships and space craft.

Halloween Carnival & Goblin Gathering (ages walking to 10)

Monday, October 30, 6 to 8 p.m.

Fee: \$2 per child at door.

Lied Community School, 5340 West Tropical Parkway, (702) 229-5072.

Come dressed in costume. Play carnival games and win prizes.

Flashlight Pumpkin Hunt (ages 0-8)

Tuesday, October 31, 5:30 p.m.

Fee: \$3

Veterans Memorial Leisure Services Center, 101 N. Pavilion Center Drive, (702) 229-1100.

Hunt for elusive pumpkins in our Boneyard Backyard (playground). Win prizes and trick or treat in a fun, safe environment.

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